

designed, wherein said state display editing means is arranged as to add/delete another composite display part designed.

3. (Amended) The user interface designing apparatus according to claim 1, wherein said state set editing means groups several states of the composite display part in a grouped state, and edits, en bloc, the display parts which are commonly displayed in the grouped state.

4. (Amended) The user interface designing apparatus according to claim 1, wherein said state set editing means is arranged to group several states of the composite display part in a grouped state, and

said event handling editing means edits, en bloc, the event handlings which are commonly in the grouped state.

5. (Amended) The user interface designing apparatus according to claim 1, wherein the elementary display part stored in said elementary display part storing means has properties corresponding to size, position, external appearance, and behavior, and further comprising property editing means for editing the properties of the elementary display part added to each state or group of states of the composite display part.

6. (Amended) The user interface designing apparatus according to claim 5, further comprising composite display part property setting means adding/deleting the properties representative of behaviors of the composite display part, wherein said property editing means edits the properties of the composite display part added to each state or group of states of said composite display part.

7. (Amended) The user interface designing apparatus according to claim 5, wherein said property editing means is arranged describes the properties of the elementary display part or, alternatively, the composite display part by referencing values of the properties of another elementary display part or, alternatively, the properties of another composite display part.

8. (Amended) The user interface designing apparatus according to claim 5, wherein said state display editing means displays, graphically, disposition of the elementary display part or, alternatively, the composite display part in each state or group of states of the composite display part while editing, graphically, properties and information concerning layout, such as size or dimension or inter-part relation, through direct manipulation with an input device.